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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA (Western
Division - Los Angeles)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:07-cv-02779-GHK-AJW**

Wahl et al v. Menu Foods Income Fund et al
Assigned to: Judge George H. King
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Wistrich
Demand: \$5,000,000
Case in other court: Los Angeles County Superior Court, BC369261
Cause: 28:1332 Diversity-Product Liability

Date Filed: 04/26/2007
Date Terminated: 08/16/2007
Jury Demand: Plaintiff
Nature of Suit: 365 Personal Inj. Prod. Liability
Jurisdiction: Diversity

Plaintiff**Ken Wahl**

TERMINATED: 07/27/2007

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I hereby attest and certify on 8/17/07
that the foregoing document is a full, true
and correct copy of the original on file in
my office, and in my legal custody.

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Defendant

Del Monte Foods Company

Defendant

Nestle Purina Petcare Company

Defendant

Hills Pet Nutrition

Defendant

Nutro Products Inc

Defendant

Petco Animal Supplies Stores Inc

Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
04/26/2007	1	NOTICE OF REMOVAL from Los Angeles County Superior Court, case number

		BC369261 with copy of summons and complaint. Case assigned to Judge S. James Otero, Discovery to Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Wistrich. (Filing fee \$ 350 Paid), filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc.(rrey,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
04/26/2007	2	NOTICE of Interested Parties filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc. (rrey,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
04/26/2007	3	PROOF OF SERVICE filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc. Notice to adverse party of removal to federal court was served on 4/26/2007. (rrey,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
04/26/2007		FAX number for Attorney Gina E Och is 213-623-6336. (rrey,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
04/26/2007		FAX number for Attorney Renc L Barge, Katherine J Odenbreit is 310-479-7051. (rrey,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
04/26/2007	5	NOTICE of Related Case(s) filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc. Related Case(s): CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx) and other related cases (rn,) (Entered: 05/10/2007)
04/30/2007	4	INITIAL STANDING ORDER which controls case and differs in some respects from local rules by Judge S. James Otero (lc,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
05/10/2007		PREPARED ORDER RE TRANSFER Pursuant to General Order 224 (Related Case) by Clerk; related to CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx). (rn,) (Entered: 05/10/2007)
05/14/2007	6	ORDER RE TRANSFER PURSUANT TO GENERAL ORDER 224 -Related Case- filed. Related Case No: CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx). Case transferred from Judge S. James Otero to Judge George H. King for all further proceedings. The case number will now reflect the initials of the transferee Judge CV 07-2779 GHK (AJWx). Signed by Judge George H. King (rn,) (Entered: 05/14/2007)
05/15/2007	7	JOINDER in Notice of Removal, [1] ,filed by Defendant The IAMS Company (shb,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/15/2007	8	Defendant The Iams Company's Notice of Interested Parties filed by Defendant The IAMS Company. (shb,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/16/2007	9	NOTICE OF DISCREPANCY AND ORDER: by Judge S. James Otero, ORDERING joinder in notice of removal, corporate disclosure statement submitted by (party not named) not to be filed but instead rejected. Denial based on: no certificate of interested party(lc,) (Entered: 05/23/2007)
06/19/2007	10	ORDER regarding case management and requirements and compliance to rules by Judge George H. King (lc) (Entered: 06/20/2007)
06/27/2007	11	NOTICE of transfer order to District of New Jersey issued by the MDL judicial panel filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc. (lc) (Entered: 07/02/2007)
07/17/2007	12	FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT against defendants Chemnutra, Inc, Kroger Co, Sunshine Mills, Inc, Proctor & Gamble Company, Albertsons, Inc, New Albertsons, Inc, Natural Balance Pet Foods, Inc, Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc, Del Monte Foods Company, Nestle Purina Petcare Company, Hills Pet Nutrition, Nutro Products Inc, Petco Animal Supplies Stores Inc, Petco Animal Supplies Inc, Petco Southwest Inc, Petsmart Inc, The IAMS Company, Wal-Mart Stores Inc, Does 1-100

		inclusive ; Party plaintiffs Shane Barbi and Sia Barbi terminated amending complaint within the Notice of Removal, [1], filed by plaintiffs Jennifer Hart, Sheila R Washington, Maria Mitchell (lc) (Entered: 07/19/2007)
07/18/2007	13	NOTICE OF DISCREPANCY AND ORDER: by Judge George H. King, ORDERING proof of service of first amended complaint submitted by Plaintiffs Jennifer Hart, Sheila R Washington, Maria Mitchell, Ken Wahl received on 7/18/07 is not to be filed but instead rejected. Denial based on: superior court form, not District Court.(lc) (Entered: 07/20/2007)
07/19/2007		Summons Issued re Amended Complaint,, [12] as to Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc, Del Monte Foods Company, Nestle Purina Petcare Company, Hills Pet Nutrition, Nutro Products Inc, Petco Animal Supplies Stores Inc, Petco Animal Supplies Inc, Petco Southwest Inc, Petsmart Inc, The IAMS Company, Wal-Mart Stores Inc, Does, Chemnutra, Inc, Kroger Co, Sunshine Mills, Inc, Proctor & Gamble Company, Albertsons, Inc, New Albertsons, Inc, Natural Balance Pet Foods, Inc. (lc) (Entered: 07/20/2007)
07/20/2007	14	NOTICE of conditional transfer order of tag-along caes issued by the MDL judicial panel filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Midwest Corporation, Menu Foods South Dakota Inc, Menu Foods Inc, Menu Foods Holdings Inc. (lc) (Entered: 07/24/2007)
07/27/2007	15	PLAINTIFFS NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF CLAIMS ONLY AS TO PLAINTIFFS KEN WAHL,SHANE BARBI AND SIA BARI AND ORDER THEREON by Judge George H. King (lc) (Entered: 07/27/2007)
08/16/2007	16	CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-1) from the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, MDL-1850, transferring case to USDC, District of New Jersey at Newark. Original file, certified copy of the transfer order and docket sheet sent. (MD JS-6. Case Terminated.) (jp) (Entered: 08/17/2007)
08/17/2007		Transfer Out of Transmittal Letter, Certified copy of the docket sheet and certified copy of Conditional Transfer Order from MDL Panel and entire original file sent to USDC, District of New Jersey at Newark on 8/17/2007. (jp) (Entered: 08/17/2007)

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